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applicant: Square Co., Ltd.

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The applicant and/or assignee of record has consented to the withdrawal and has requested that all future correspondence be sent to the attorney at the address listed above.

Notice of the attorney's request to withdraw is being sent simultaneously to the attorney listed above, as well as all relevant papers and files.

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At least thirty days remain for the applicant to take any action due in this case or an appropriate request for extension of time accompanies this request seeking additional time. The attorney(s)/agent(s) on whose behalf this petition is filed will ensure that the applicant has sufficient time after approval of this request to reply or employ another to reply to any outstanding requirement of the Patent and Trademark Office.

Two copies of this request are filed herewith. The Commissioner is authorized to apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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